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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Paul GERBER et al.) Group Art Unit: Unassigned
Application No.: To Be Assigned) Examiner: Unassigned
(U.S. National Stage Application of)
PCT/CH2004/000434))
Filed: Concurrently Herewith)
For: RUNNING RESERVE INDICATOR)
FOR A MECHANICAL)
CLOCKWORK)

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, and begin on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendments sections, and begin on page 11 of this paper.

Attachments to this amendment include a **Substitute Abstract**.